

**EXPEDITED PROCEDURE – EXAMINING GROUP 1795**

**S/N 10/788,889**

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant:	Kevin Shea et al.	Examiner:	Caleen O Sullivan
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Title:	SURFACE TREATMENT OF A DRY-DEVELOPED HARD MASK AND SURFACE TREATMENT COMPOSITIONS USED THEREFOR		

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**AMENDMENT & RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116**

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In response to the Final Office Action mailed January 23, 2008, please amend the application as follows, and consider the appended remarks.